CHAPTER NO. 348

SENATE BILL NO. 92

By McNally, Davis

Substituted for: House Bill No. 154

By Caldwell, Armstrong, Bunch, Hargett, Pleasant

AN ACT To amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 9-1-108, relative to allowing flexibility for local governments in assessing processing fees.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

- SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 9-1-108(c)(2), is amended by deleting the word "and" at the end of subdivision (A); by deleting the period at the end of subdivision (B) and substituting instead a semicolon and the word "and"; and by adding the following new subdivision to be designated as follows:
 - (C) "Municipal or county entity" includes, but is not limited to, a municipality, county, metropolitan government, utility district, board, commission or authority created or authorized by general or local law.
- SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 9-1-108(c)(3), is amended by adding a new sentence at the end of the subdivision:

Such processing fee may be waived by approval of the governing body.

- SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 9-1-108(c), is further amended by deleting subdivisions (5) and (7) and renumbering the remaining subdivisions accordingly.
- SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

PASSED: May 29, 2001

JOHN S. WILDER SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 7th day of June 2001

JIMMY NAIFEH, SPEAKER DUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES